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Title:	THREADED ROD HANGER
Legal Instruments Examiner:	Tonya McBride
Applicant File No:	ERIC.P0347US

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Dear Ms. McBride:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (copy attached), attached hereto is a replacement amended correcting the Listing of Claims in the originally filed amendment of April 11, 2005. The claims were correct, but misnumbered, claim 15 appeared omitted but was misnumbered as claim 16.

Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 3, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 6.